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Submission deadline is the 20th of the month for event announcements, articles, and artwork. Officers reports are due at officer's meeting.

January 2007

	1	2	3 BF Gather	4 Populace Meeting	5	6 12th Night
7 UH Gathr Fighter/ Fencing P	8	9	10 BF Gather	11	12	13 Viking Vinter Vonderlnd
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21 Fighter/ Fencing P	22	23	24 BF Gather	25	26	27
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February

				1	2	3 Candlemas
4 UH Gathr Fighter/ Fencing P	5	6	7 BF Gather	8 Populace Meeting	9	10
11 Fighter/ Fencing P	12	13 Estrella	14 Estrella BF Gather	15 Estrella	16 Estrella	17 Estrella
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25	26	27	28 BF Gather			

Calendar Notes

For up to the minute information visit the Baronial web site at www.unserhafen.org and the Kingdom website at www.outlands.org.

Bofharrach Calendar:

2nd Tuesdays of the month: Officer's meeting at Open Arms, 2114 42nd Ave. Greeley, CO 80634. Public is welcome. Garb is not required. Bring munchies!

Fighter Practice, Baronial Gathering, and Baron's Whim Tourney

Join us on the 1st Sunday of every month for heavy and light fighting,, marshall arts class, Baron's whim tourney, announcements and/or brief court, then we all go out to eat! Garb encouraged
Fort Collins City Park 2-5 PM

Event Dates

January 6-7
Caerthe's 12th Night (Caerthe) Ulrik 720-620-1282
January 13-14
Citadel 12th Night (Citadel) Bjorn 915-471-9340
January 13
Viking Vinter Vunterland (Dragonsspine) Tiberius 719-232-5565
January 13
Plattefordham 12th Night (Plattefordham) Catriona 307-473-5658
January 20
Winter Oasis (Unser Hafen) Ekaterina 970-356-0943
January 20-21
Fontaine's 12th Night & Baronial Investiture (Fontaine) Aedhagan 505-330-5777
January 27
Caer Galen A&S (Caer Galen) Zoraya 720-436-5361
February 3
Candlemas (Dragonsspine) Cassandra
February 13-19
Estrella War XXIII (Atenveldt) www.estrellawar.org

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from the Baron

Unto the Fierce but Friendly Populace of Unser Hafen, Baron Samuel sends greetings in this first month of the New Year.

Thoughts of WAR!!!!!!!! are ever present as We make preparations to journey South to Estrella. Be reminded as you celebrate this New Year that Estrella is mere weeks away. Prepare your wagons, your armor, your clothing and your cookpots and make all ready to show Their Majesties that their forces of Unser Hafen are loyal, strong and well supported! If this is your first journey to Estrella, please check out the resources for first-time travelers available on the Kingdom of the Outlands website and on www.estrellawar.org. The Atenveldt sun is fierce, the nights often chilly, and it can actually RAIN. Please pre-register and gather all the information you can to ensure that you have a wonderous time.

But, before We journey to war, a brief moment of festivity! That's right ... PARTY!!!! Winter Oasis on January 20 promises a visit to the land of silks and spices. Please help the autocrats in any way you can to show the Barony's guests that Unser Hafen knows how to drum up a good time.

Be well ... be fierce ... and be .... READY FOR WAR!!!!!!

Baron Samuel

from the seneschal

To the great Populace of the Barony, do I, EllaAnne de Kari send greetings on this, the day after the first full moon of the New Year. To those who have volunteered countless hours for tasks large and small in support for of the Barony, I extend my deepest appreciation. I look forward to the coming year as Seneschal, knowing the strength of the Barony cannot falter with so many actively participating In Service to the Dream. May we all be blessed with good fortune this year.

Upcoming Baronial Business:

Officer's Meetings: The officers will meet this winter at the Lory Student Center, on the CSU campus. For directions, dates, and times, check the Baronial website. You are welcome to join us!

Fighter Practices: To prepare for War, the fighters are practicing at the CSU Field House on Sunday afternoons. The time has shifted to 3-6 pm. (except for Jan 7th) If you have time, please come join us one Sunday afternoon and witness the great fighters of the Northern Outlands.

Baronial Projects: There will be two garb-a-thons this month: one to prepare garb for Estrella, and one to make Baronial Tabards. Sayyidah Khalidah is coordinating the Baronial Tabard project. Please contact her if you are interested in having one made for you, or you can volunteer some time to help sew, measure, cut, etc. The plan is to make Tabards and Baldrics out of heavy green canvas with gold embattling.

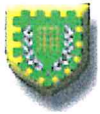
Events: We are looking for a Coordinator for Newcomers Fest, Fall 2007. Please email me with your ideas if you would like to coordinate this event.

Please feel free to contact me by phone (9 am - 9 pm) or email (anytime) if you have any ideas or suggestions, questions or concerns.

In Service, I remain.

Lady EllaAnne deKari
Seneschal
Unser Hafen

Winter Oasis



Saturday January 20, 2007
Barony of Unser Hafen

Site Location: Knights of Columbus Hall
121 N. Meldrum, Fort Collins, CO 80521
Site Opens at 1:00pm and Closes at 10:30 pm
Site Fee (free),
Buffet and Classes Fee: Adults $7, Children (6-12) $3, Under 6 free
Checks payable to SCA-Unser Hafen
Site is wet.

The buffett will start at 2:00 and be replenished during the day. Although the buffet is included in the site fee, any food contributions are always looked upon with great favor as it makes for a much richer feast. If you would like to bring a dish to share please contact our food coordinator so that she can begin to layout the feast.
Tentative Menu so you may begin your tentative drooling:
Lamb and pilaf, flatbread bar, couscous, haroset, meat wrapped in pastry,
Carrot tzimmes and a variety of vegetable delicacies, stuffed dates, baklava and...?
p.s. don't forget your feast gear!

As in years past "Winter Oasis" attracts some of the finest Middle Eastern performers in the Outlands. This is your chance to learn from these artists and take part in the fulfillment that Middle Eastern music and dance has to offer. Please feel free to join a class even if you have no instrument to bring. There will be some extra drums for those without. Please bring any drums or instruments that you wish to play or share. Visit the Web site, www.unserhafen.org/winteroasis/, for the latest class list.

Volunteers are the key to a successful event. It is also very rewarding.
We are looking for volunteers in the following areas.

Setup:12:00pm-1:00pm
Troll: One hour shifts during the event.
Kitchen and Buffett: During the event.
Clean up: 11:00pm-midnight

If you would like to Volunteer please contact the autocrat...

Autocrat: Lady Ekaterina
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Buffet Coordinator: Lord Perryn Coelbrant
(Robin Lagro)
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Directions: From North or South: Take I-25 to exit 269B (CO 14 West). Go west 3.3 miles to Riverside Ave. and turn RIGHT. Less than 1 mile later, turn LEFT onto Mountain Ave. Continue on Mountain past College to Meldrum. Turn RIGHT on Meldrum and the hall will be on your left. Please note that carpooling is recommended as parking is VERY limited. Parking is allowed in the south side parking lot, on the street, and in the school lot across the street. The numbered north lot is for the apartment residents only, and violators will be towed.

Dragonsspine Candlemas and the Consorts Tourney

February 3, 2007
Barony of Dragonsspine

Coronado High School, 1590 W Fillmore St, Colorado Springs, CO
Directions:
Take the King's Highway (I-25) to the Fillmore exit, head west (towards the mountains) for approximately a mile. Coronado High School will be on the right.
Site Information:
Opens - 10:00 am Closes - 10:00 pm
SITE IS VERY DRY, BONE DRY

Fees
* Site:
  - o Adult $10.00, advance $12.00, at door
  - o Children 12 and under, $5.00, advance $6.00, at door
  - o $3.00 non-member surcharge
* Feast:
  - o Adult $10.00, advance $13.00, at door
  - o Children 12 and under, $8.00, advance $9.00, at door

Please make all checks payable to SCA-Dragonsspine
Advance Registration open until January 19, 2007
Reservations can be mailed to:
Barony of Dragonsspine
PO Box 374
Colorado Springs, CO 80901

Autocrat:
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719-591-0594 no calls after 9pm please

As the far off and distant drums of WAR call to us, many are left to wonder.....Who will plant our crops, take care of our cattle and raise our children while we are away? Who do we trust to pay our ransom should we be in need? Who among our peoples will be left to carry on as the glorious fighters of the Outlands go off to WAR?

As any fighter will tell you, those we leave behind are as important as those who fight next to us.

In the center of the Outlands within the Barony of Dragonsspine, lies a small Abbey where children of the local area are educated and taught the skills and lessons of the day. The pride of the Outlands is its children and these same youth are proud to announce their first ever EVENT. They have spent the year preparing to welcome you as their guests. For this special event they have devised a Tournament like no other...a Tournament to test the skills and mettle of our Kingdom's Consorts.

So, Come one and all to the Dragonsspine Candlemas and Consorts Tourney. Rest a while among your friends and family in our Great Hall. Dance the afternoon away or watch the fighters in the court yard. Yes, there will be FIGHTING and ARCHERY tournaments as well...for those who can handle the cold. Indoor competitions will rule the day as the best of our Kingdom try to impress one another with their skills in the "consortly arts". This is a day to recoup and gather one's strength for the coming battles. This is a day to see who among us is the better Consort.

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